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The 'Good Guy' Wore Skirts

ALL SMILES - MRS LIL WOODSIDE - The Good Guy of 1970, smiles at the camera. Her husband Mel is just behind her, and others are MC Lloyd C Bender, Joe Maffeo, and Mrs Woodside's daughter Mrs Allan McMullin Jr.

Mrs Lil Woodside knew she was going to the 'Good Guy' Banquet Monday evening, but she did not realize until she got inside Rocco's Restaurant, and heard some of the ladies present say that the Good Guy was Wearing Skirts, that the award was being given to her.

It was the first time in years that a secret had been successfully kept from Mrs Woodside. The Wilmington Center Drug Store was closed for the evening, for her daughter, son-in-law, and son were at the banquet, and there was no one to keep the drug store open. In order to avoid her noticing that the drug store was closed Mel Woodside drove the long way, down Boutwell St. and Shawsheen Ave., to Rocco's, and even then Lil did not catch on.

The award was presented by Master of Ceremonies Lloyd C. Bender, in recognition of her work in sponsoring the Wilmington Hospital. Over 100 friends were present, to honor Mrs Woodside.

BACKMAN SWEEPS IN

Carl A. Backman, Jr., of 73 Glen Road swept into office, in the Selectmen's race, last Saturday, topping all of his opponents by a two to one vote, in an election that was moderately light.

Mr. Backman has never held public office before. He defeated incumbent George Boylen Jr., who has served many years, prior to his election, on the Finance Committee.

Backman is a member of a well known Wilmington family. His father is Carl 'Bucky' Backman, and his family founded the Wilmington Skating Club, shortly after World War II.

Carl has held a number of skating titles, both in speed skating and in hockey. His sister, Mrs. Janet Tighe, before her marriage, held National and North American Speed Skating Titles, in the Women's Division, both as a Junior and as a Senior.

Backman received 1455 votes, and Mr. Boylen 920. Other candidates were Paul G Godzyk, 271, and Felice Vitale 135 with 31 blanks.

Imbimto & Fay

Miss Diana C. Imbimbo and William J Fay Jr., were the winners in a close contest for the School Committee, in which there were many blanks, because of the bullets (single votes) cast for candates. Miss Imbimbo received 1745 votes, and Fay 1627. Both were candidates for re-election.

Mrs Nancy Clark, the challenger, was close behind, with 1511 votes, and there were 740 blanks.

The only other contest was in the two year unexpired term for the Wilmington Housing Authority. Mrs Florence Borofsky, of Oakridge Circle was the winner, with 1262 votes. Mrs Pearl H Hersom received 1186 votes, and there were 364 votes cast blank.

John Callan was returned handily to the post of Moderator, receiving 2442 votes. Charles F. Lounsbury, for the five year term in the Housing Authority received 2341 votes, and Frank H. McLean, for the three year term in the Shawsheen Valley Regional School Committee received 2376 votes. All were unopposed.

There were a total of 2813 votes cast, including a few absentee ballots.

BABY SITTING FOR TOWN MEETING

Girl Scout Cadette Troop 354 will baby sit at the High School on Saturday so that parents may be free to attend the Town Meeting and become actively involved in the decisions to be made for the taxpayers.

Walter Pierce is Supt. of Schools

Formerly the Assistant Superintendent, Walter H Pierce of Burlington Avenue was elected the School Superintendent Thursday.

ESTHER RUSSELL SWEARS IN THE WINNERS: - Those of them who were present when the ballot counting was finished at 10:30 pm Saturday. Facing the Town Clerk are (l to r) William Fay, Carl Backman Jr., John Callan and Mrs Florence Borofsky.

ST THOMAS GREEN WHIST

St Thomas Green Whist will be held on March 16 at 8 pm at Villanova Hall.

Mrs Elizabeth Kelley and her Committee will once again provide a very enjoyable evening.

Many fine prizes will be awarded Mrs Doris Allard is in charge of the Penny Sale Table. Refreshments will be served.

NOTICE

Chapter 87, Section 9, General Laws, prohibits the affixing of signs to shade trees in a public way, or other disfigurement, including cutting, marking, painting, etc.

Persons convicted of this can be fined up to $50. The Tree Warden of Wilmington intends to see that this law is enforced.

Thomas Sullivan
Tree Warden

TO THE VOTERS OF WILMINGTON

THIS IS THE TRUTH

During the recent campaign questions were raised by the last minute mailing of Mr. Backman. I couldn't answer them before Saturday but I still believe they should be answered

1. Cain's Car Wash - Mr. Backman knew these facts.

The Board of Selectmen were in the process of revoking gas licenses that had been inactive when Mr Cain's old gas license came up. I voted to hold a hearing to revoke this license.

At that time we learned that the Board of Appeals had granted Mr. Cain permission to erect a carwash to be used in conjunction with a gas station. At this point I didn't see how we could revoke this license any more than we could for any active gas station. I abstained from voting, thinking that people would understand I disapproved, but had no right to.

This issue could have been debated by Mr Backman and I. Instead it was used to smear my reputation without my having a chance to retaliate.

2. Mr. Backman stated that the Tax Rate Announcement by the Finance Committee and Town Manager was a fancy conspiracy on my part. It Isn't. At the Town Meeting Saturday I defy Mr. Backman to announce a rate different than the Finance Committee.

3. Indecision -

I made approximately 40% of all motions made by the Board of Selectmen.

I hope that in the future campaigns are not waged against people, but issues.

4. Gas Pains?

During my three years I never voted for a gas station in any part of town. MR. BACKMAN KNEW THIS.

If this last minute mailing becomes popular no decent person will run for elective office in Wilmington for fear the reputation of himself and family will be hurt.

George W. Boylen, Jr.

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The 'Let's Talk' Forum

The 'Let's Talk' Program sponsored by the Wilmington School Committee on Tuesday evening was attended by approximately three hundred people. The crowd that came to the meeting represented a good cross section of the population of Wilmington.

The subject matter discussed during the meeting ranged from Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwiches to Discipline.

The first portion of the meeting consisted of questions and answers on a variety of subjects. The tone of the meeting changed when the students discussed In-School suspensions. Many of the remarks of the students were met with groans from the adults, while clapping greeted, in may cases, the adults responses. On the whole, the adults demonstrated a belief in the need of stronger disciplanary measures.

Walter Pierce, Superintendent of Schools, gave a brief talk to open the discussion. He stated that questions would be welcomed on any subject of the total operations of the school system. He also stated that this meeting would be the beginning of many contacts between the school committee and the people of Wilmington.

Pierce asked for questions. The first question from the floor concerned the students who lived near the Lake St Bridge and what provisions had been made for them to travel to the new Shawsheen School? Mr Pierce answered the question by stating that policewomen would be on duty and that the committee was looking into the bus schedule for these children.

'Can I assume that the dress code was dropped because it was to difficult to enforce?' was asked by a concerned parent.

Pierce answered that the dress code which had been devised by the School Committee and the Student Government had been dropped for several reasons, some of them being the difficulty of parents to purchase clothing which conformed to the code as is the case of the Miniskirt. Also, he stated, the question of the length of the students hair was not standing up in the courts. He said, 'Parents play an important part in how a child is dressed as they are the ones sending the child to school.'

Charles Gilbert asked about the segregation in the large cafeteria in the high school, and why was suspension meted out to those boys and girls who sat together.

Bernard McMahon, principal of the high school answered that in order to facilitate the serving of the lunches two lines had to be formed, one for boys, and one for girls. One parent said that brothers and sisters sat together around a family table and that the question of segregating youngsters in the high school lunch room should be resolved.

William Fay, Chairman of the School Committee, said that he had not realized that the segregation existed in the Cafeteria, and that he saw no reason why it had to continue.

Mrs Kanchuga, Chairman of the Home Economics Course in the High School said that another reason for segregating youngsters in the Cafeteria was that the youngsters occasionally are courting and are necking and kissing during the lunch break openly.

Another question asked of Mr Pierce concerned the Sex Education Program in the West School and how successful was the program? Pierce stated that the program in the West Intermediate School had been found to be very successful and that a meeting for parents of the North Intermediate School would get a chance to view the films and be shown in the program and to discuss the program with the Family Living Committee on March 18 at 8:30 pm

Walter Barrett, Principal of the West School, also responded with a favorable report for the program as it has presented in the West School, and added that he had a response from a parent who stated that when the program was first introduced in the West School, she had been hesitant to enroll her daughter in the course, but has been happy that she did, because she found that she and her daughter have improved their communications on this subject.

A question on who sets policy for homework assignments. Is it the administration of the school or does the teacher make the judgement of how much homework is assigned? Pierce answered by stating that the homework policy throughout the system is based on a broad concept of fifteen minutes of daily homework starting at Grade 4, and the tme is gradually increased as the student advances through the grades.

Anthony DeLuca, Principal of the North Intermediate School said that Grades 7 and 8 should spend an average of 30 to 40 minutes per subject and that some students spend much more than that, because they are concerned with the quality of their work. McMahon said that thirty minutes per subject was the norm in the high school.

Walter Pierce took a small break in the question and answer period to introduce Mr Harold Driscoll, who retired from the School System in December, after devoting 30 years of his life as a teacher. There was a round of applause from those who attended in appreciation of Mr Driscoll.

A question from a parent who asked how much of a teachers time was devoted per day to disciplining students in her class and were some children being deprived of the teacher's attention because of the time spent in disciplining? She also wanted to know if discipline problems have increased in the past few years.

A substitute teacher in the Industrial Arts Dpartment answered the question with a statement that in his experience, discipline problems were more severe this year.

Mrs Jane Holbrook, a substitute teacher, told that discipline problems arose because some parents did not care to attend parent-teacher conferences and that the parents must enforce discipline in the homes. Another teacher said the discipline problems depend on the situation a teacher finds himself in that a friendly teacher could probably calm down a class faster than one who is overly strict

John Crisafulli, Principal of the Wildwood School, added that many variables enter into the problem of discipline and that such things as the season of the year and the weather are especially involved in the elementary grades.

Milton Cram asked for Mr DeLuca to comment on this queston. DeLuca stated that discipline problems are on the increase, too much this year. At the North Intermediate School every avenue possible is explored to give the students good direction. The usual procedures, DeLuca said, are: 1. Staff member sends discipline slip home. 2. A session slip is handed out. 3. The instructor and the principal discuss the problem with the student, and the studnet is directed to the Guidance Counselor. The parents are then informed of the problem.

DeLuca also commented on Dr Allen and Dr Stewart, who supplement the staff, nd who work very closely with the students.

A question was raised as to why there was no supervision during the lunch hour in some elementary schools. Miss Joanne Meryers said that because of collective bargaining by law, teachers are to have a lunch break. Some teachers do give up their time to help supervise the children but in some cases, the supervision is done by teacher aides and noon aides.

Is the curriculum standardized in each school? Pierce stated that the curriculum is basically the same with some differences in the experimentaton in some areas. Pierce invited parents to visit the schools more often.

Mrs Betty Spahl wanted to know why there are so many peanut butter sandwiches on the menu. Mr Pierce told her the rising cost of food, and the fact that the suprvisor of the lunch program must compete on the open market, means some meat meal will appear less frequently on the menu. The entire lunch program is being evaluated, he said.

Francis Kelley brought down the house with a quiet remark that 'It keeps the children quiet after lunch.'

Mrs Ronald Wolfe, said that she found that some of the things that are being said to the students are not acceptable to her. She wished the discussion during this meeting would concern itself with the subject of respect for the individual Pierce agreed that there should be total respect for individuals

School suspension was next the concern of the parents . They though that In-School Suspension should be used to get more help for the student, but that it appeared in fact to do the opposite.

McMahon said that School Suspension is used to deter truancy smoking and insolence. The parent then asked if during the time of suspension, the time could be utilized to do their home work? Doing home work, during suspension time McMahon said, had not proved to be effective.

Another parent said that she had heard rumors that if someone was on suspension he received zeros on all their subjects.

Students Speak

A student then made the observation that if a student skipped one period, he automatically received five days suspension. Pierce said that if a student felt he was being treated unfairly he should speak to the teacher.

A parent asked why students were cutting class in the first place? A round of applause greeted this question. The same student said that suspension does not do what it is supposed to do, and that the administration will not listen to the students.

Another student said that students cut classes because they have no interest in the class, and that they do not participate in classes which hold no interest for them.

A parent asked: If a student knew they would have to miss classes through suspension, why didn't he or she sit through the class, and so not to miss the rest of the classes?

A young lady said that when a student reaches the high school level, they should be mature enough to make a judgement as to attending classes. A collective groan greeted this remark.

A parent: The students are trying to take over the colleges, now the high schools, and I suppose the next will be elementary schools!

Pierce said that parents and students should resolve the situation.

A High School Teacher said that he had, every day in school been assigned to the detention room. Because may pupils still owed time at the end of the year it was his opinion that dentention did not do what it was supposed to do.

Because the remarks of the students were being met some derision from some members of the audience, and the remaks of the parents were being applauded, Mrs Woolfe admonished the audience with the remark that it seemed that sides were being chosen in the discussion and that if this were to make anyone uncomfortable enough to leave the room, perhaps it would be best not to respond to future remarks.

Tony DeLuca: Statistically out of 1200 students in the high school approximately 25 were incorrigible; out of 475 at North school approximately 5% needed help. His statement agreed with Mrs Wolfe that the students had been invited to attend this meeting. His wish was that the students themselves become involved in helping those students who were creating the discipline problems.

Paul Bodenstein observed that so far only punitive aspects of the probem had been discussed. He said that the best discipline was good planning on the part of the teacher.

Mrs Vernice Hensey stated that in respect to students in high school cutting classes this could be cut down if they got the couses that they rquested. She further stated that the reason given many times for students being unable to choose their couses was that the computor did not give the proper information

Could anything be done to help students select their courses as they wanted.

Pierce stated that there was a load factor in the high school, and that thought has been given to adding to the school day slightly

Mr McMahon told Mrs Hensey that the computor was a very obedient machine, it only gives out the information that is fed to it. He went on to say that one of the problems in the high school was space. Also, he stated that Wilmington High School has become a sort of Las Vegas with students requesting changes all the time.

In September he had 200 requests for course changes, and the requests have not stopped at this point in the school year. Instability in course selection was the problem with the changes.

Pierce's Remarks

Walter Pierce told the audience that a series of meeting were hoped for. One that is being planned is to discuss the new High School addition, and the bond issue that will be necessary.

Schools, he said, are as good as the community wants them to be.

The School Committee is doing a survey at this time on discipline He hoped that the newsletter being published by the public schools would come out more often and if any parent desired a specific subject matter, that parent should let Mr Pierce know.

A meeting will be held on March 31st with parents of incoming First Graders.

The Meeting was concluded by William Fay, Chairman of the School Board, who told the group that the School Committee had kept out of the discussions. He introduced them, and said that with all of their work, if they were not reflecting the attitudes and directions of the people of Wilmington their efforts are worthless. He reinforced the comments of Walter Pierce, that schools are only as good as the community wants them to be.

Future School Committee Meetings, Fay said, would be held in the various schools of the Town to give the public a chance to attend.

Genealogy Class To Start

A Beginners Class in Genealogical Research will start on March 18, 1970 from 7:30 pm to 9 pm and continue weekly, in the Chapel of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 70 Concord Road, just off Billerica Center.

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For further information, contact Hugh A Forrest, Genealogist 155 Lake Street, Wilmington.

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TOWN MEETING SATURDAY

There are many voters of Wilmington who have never attended a Town Meeting - newly arrived from the city. It is a lot of fun, and, of course it is important. Wilmington's town meetings are attended by 10% of the voters - often less, but the final decisions on tax rates and many other things are made there.

The Finance Committee, who will be sitting on the podium in front, will have much to say. They, unpaid, give recommendations on each article calling for appropriations, as required by law. The Town Meeting does not have to follow those recommendations, for the Town Meeting, in itself, is supreme.

But, as they have done before, the Finance Committee is again advising on articles that are more properly the concern of other committees - e.g. Zoning, By-Laws, Liquors, etc. The Planning Board, for instance, is concerned with Zoning. The Finance Committee could have said 'Recommend the Town follow the Planning Board action' - but they didn't. Perhaps the Planning Board could start to recommend on the town's finances.

The action of the Finance Committee on 'Free Cash' this year does not please this column. The sum this year is $29,978, which can be used as the Town Meeting directs, or which can be saved for future and unexpected emergencies.

Free Cash and the Reserve Fund

Once the Tax Rate is set, sometime in mid-summer, the Town is unable to appropriate money for an emergency. It can use money in 'Free Cash', or it can use money from the 'Reserve Fund', which is under the control of the Finance Committee, but it is unable to get money otherwise. As the Finance Committee has left 'Free Cash' and the Reserve Fund, both are too low.

Remember the bit about the Police Cruisers, last fall? There was no money to buy new cruisers. The Town Manager went to the State Bureau of Accounts to see if by some chance an emergency authorization to spend money in excess of appropriations could be had. One might say the Bureau of Accounts snarled back that the town should have forseen this and had more money in Free Cash, or the Reserve Account.

In this meeting, if the Town follows the advice of the Finance Committee the result will be No Free Cash, and only $50,000 in the Reserve Account.

Look on Page 11 of the Finance Committee Report. The Town Manager asked for $75,000 in the Reserve Fund, and the Finance Committee cut it to $50,000, even though they control it.

And, on Page 12, they are spending the Free Cash for Interest for Anticipation Notes, which is money that the town has to borrow from time to time, to keep going.

What the Finance Committee has done is to 'save' $54,000 in tax money - which is less than 50 cents on the tax rate. They'll look good in the Town Report - if nothing happens in the meantime.

This is a 'good' year for the town. Put aside another $25,000 in the Reserve Account, and make it $75,000 as the Town Manager asks. Call it Insurance - for that is what it is. If the money isn't used it will still be there next year - but if there is an emergency, and the town has no money - well, the Bureau of Accounts will again have the opportunity to snarl at the Town Manager.

Use the money in Free Cash for the extra $25,000 in the Reserve Fund. In that way there will be no argument later on, when the meeting gets to the Anticipation of Revenue account - it will be voted from taxes. The cost is less than 25 cents on the tax rate - the insurance is good. There is every reason to vote for it, and none against. If somebody makes such a motion - support him. It is worth noting that the entire budget is $6,942,036. A Reserve Fund of $75,000 is hardly more than 1% of the entire budget.

Articles

The first real argument may come at Article 8. Call it the Wetland Plans Article. Possibly this article may be 'passed over' - removed from discussion.

If this is voted in the affirmative the vote won't mean a thing except to create confusion. The article should call to vote a By-Law, so that it can be enforced. All this asks for is wishful thinking.

Article 9 thru 13 involves buying land or taking it by eminent doman, for the purposes of Conservation. The Finance Committee recommendations should be followed.

Likewise for fourteen thru sixteen, except this is by Transfer of the Title for the land.

Articles 17 through 30 may be called Equipment Articles. Various people will get up and argue on these, pro and con. The Finance Committee recommendations should be followed by those who want a $41 tax rate.

Articles 33, 34 and 35 are the Finance Committee Light Brigade Articles. They get on their horses and gallop off on these, year after year, right into the Valley of Death!

These three articles are for the traditional $750 appropriation to support the quarters of the Town's Veterans organizations. The statement of the Finance Committee, in opposing this, is worthy of an Oscar, as the Non-Explanation of the Year.

Anyway, just listening to the discussion that should ensue is worth the time spent in a Town Meeting, for sheer entertainment value.

Article 36 is a good one. It wants the town to buy more land around the High school, so as to be enabled to enlarge the school later on. The Finance Committee, quite properly, has approved, but then, strangely, is has mentioned no amount of money.

Articles 37 thru 43 are basically Street Acceptances, and Street Construction with Betterments. The voting of Betterments means the voting of bonds - two thirds of the meeting must approve. Follow the Finance Committee - no real cost to the town.

Article 44 is for a desperately needed improvement - the widening of West Street from Lowell Street to the new industrial area called Industrial Way. There is a $36,000 bond issue, which sounds foolish at first, at the prices that are apid for interest today, but this bond is to be combined with those needed on the Betterment Articles, which have to be, so that it all makes sense.

Articles 45 and 46 are for improvement of the lake front at Silver Lake. Article 46 is merely straightening out descriptions of land that were acquired last year - involves no money.

Article 47 - the MBTA Article. There could be a lot of fun at this point. This column is against the discontinuance of the MBTA Rapid Transit Service to Wilmington, and the coming Environmental Challenges of the next decade are one of the reasons.

If the town wants to discontinue MBTA Bus Lines, that's one thing. Tewksbury did it last year, and the town will save money in not paying for a sort of White Elephant. But, in spite of some arguments that may be forthcoming, Rapid Transit is a necessity, and it is going to increase in importance, and everyone is going to have to pay for it.

Article 48 is so much rhetoric. It petitions the Governor and the Legislature in favor of Home Rule, but as a solid fact it doesn't mean very much.

Article 52 is for money for the approaches to the Fred Cain bridge over Nichols Street. It's worth $350, - $400,000. So far it has cost the town about $9,000. This will bring the cost to the town at about $10,000, plus a $20,000 bond issue - and this is for the road that approaches the bridge.

Article 53 is one of the more significant articles being presented to the Town Meeting - Urban Redevelopment, on Eames Street. Thanks to Barbo and to the Industrial Way development and other industries and businesses in Wilmington, about 35% of the town's bax burden is borne by Business and Industry. This article clears the way for a significant increase in that percentage.

The Chamber of Commerce got the project started, and the work to date has been done by the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority. Now the authority is asking for permission to go ahead on the final phase which involves borrowing $200,000.

In previous discussions the Finance Committee had a number of misgivings, all of which, it is to be believed, have now been fully resolved. The fact that the Finance Committee is now happy is, in itself, a victory for the tax payers.

The land, off Eames Street, 40 acres, in an impossible legal tangle, and cannot be used for any purpose. Legally speaking it is 'blighted' land, and the Chamber of Commerce project could not have been in a more impossible area.

The proposal is to make an Industrial Development, in the middle of an Industrial zone. This is not the type of Urban Renewal in which people are displaced, or businesses either. It is a very rare occasion when an Urban Renewal project can be accomplished without hurting someone - and this is the place.

Don't let the figure of $200,000 scare the voters. It is a bond issue and the financial return to the town, in a term of years, will far exceed that figure. The powers of the Redevelopment Authority is the key. They will use the powers of Eminent Domain to unlock the tangles of land titles, - and at a handsome profit to the town. It isn't often that a Town Meeting gets such a chance.

Articles 59 and 60 are for Flood Plain Zoning. There is a lot being said, prior to the Town Meeting, about the Constitutionality of the proposal - the way it is worded. This column thinks very highly of Professor Eliot, who is behind this, and it has an equally deep regard for Attorney Philip Buzzell, who is one of the most eminent lawyers in Massachusetts, and who was Town Counsel in Wilmington for about 40 years.

The argument on one side is to go ahead and do it, and then let somebody prove that it is unconstitutional. On the other side the argument is that it is extremely unfair to expect private individuals or others pay for a test of constitutionality, when the town should do so. The cost of an argument, which goes to the Supreme Court, could be $3500, at a minimum.

Article 61 may be called the Stoney Article. It proposes to put into the By-Laws the regulations for gravel etc that the Selectmen wrote some years ago for themselves.

The trouble is that no one seems to have read the proposed law. Look at it. Look at for instance, Paragraph 31. It allows anyone to excavate gravel on Route 93, if the State Cops aren't watching!

The Gravel Regulations were promulgated by the Selectmen in 1957. If voted into a By Law now - well, the Board of Selectmen are now sponsoring a By Law which will compel the Board of Selectmen to pay attention to the Law, instead of not paying attention to the regulastions which the Board of Selectmen made for the Board of Selectmen!

Article 63, is about Truck Terminals. As it is written it will do nothing to any existing truck terminal in Wilmington, except if the owner seeks to enlarge it - and then he will have to go to the Board of Appeals.

Article 64, as explained in the Planning Board hearing, will affect only a few lots of land, in residential zoning. As written it also seems to affect business and other zoning.

If the Planning Board wants this pushed through the Town Meeting they should be prepared to specify, by Chapter and Verse, just which lots are affected, each and every one of them. If this is carelessly accepted by the town the result could be larceny from some person who least expects it. Get the facts before you vote.

Article 65 can be called the Pyrotechnics Article. It may be passed over. If it is not - watch out for the Fireworks!

Among other things, the Sons of Italy, which is not to be classed as a small organization, would be blocked from building a club house on land they own at the end of Salem Street. The people in that area are unhappy about the prospect of a club house, and the voter can look for a lot of action if the article is not passed over. The Town Crier might even take pictures if the action has enough blood and gore!

Article 66 is the Ambiguity Law. It is designed to clear up a muddy spot (sandy might be a better word) in the existing By-Laws. Only fast foot-work by the Town Counsel, Mr. Altman, last year, saved the town from an embarrassing position because of the present wording of this law.

It is really a rare occasion, a second opportunity, it would seem, for the town to lock the barn door in a law defining sand and gravel.

Article 67 has good intentions, but if the MDC should put a skating rink into Wilmington, or the state, as has been proposed, there could be trouble over this article. This should be thought over some more by the Planning Board.

Article 68 proposes more Housing for the Elderly in Wilmington. There is need for it and Wilmington has had good experience with its existing project - but make the Housing Authority tell the Town Meeting just what is involved, before the vote.

Article 72 is the Sewer Article. Basically this is to make it easier for the town to do what it voted to do last year, that is to extend the sewer trunk up to Eames Street. The Finance Committee, this time, doesn't seem to have any reservations.

Costs involved would be paid by the users of the system.

Article 73 is for Sewer Plans. The original plans were made in 1958, and if this column is correct there has been no updating of those plans, even if there have been three committees to study the questions.

This column understands that the question is to be 'passed over' in the Town Meeting. A reasonable question may be put, to such a motion - viz Why? Why not discuss it, and find out where the town stands?

Article 77. If you want an Indoor Skating Rink, built by the State or MDC, be certain that there was a satisfactory answer to the question posed by Article 67. There will be no loss to the town in voting for Article 77, even if it doesn't get a rink.

Article 78 would have land rezoned at the corner of Bridge Lane and Main Street, and up to Hobson Avenue. The proponents did not make any presentation to the Finance Committee or the Planning Board, at their hearings. The word is out, hoever, that they intend to make a fight for it, in spite of their seeming indifference before.

Article 79 is for an addition to the Police Station. This article should give the Orators of the Town their chance, and perhaps the Town Meeting will be treated to a display of exceptionally competent oratory.

Articles 80 and 81. Expect Article 81 to come up first. The Selectmen have a way of putting the cart before the horse, when they assign article numbers, and this is a good example.

In one way or another the questions about Apartments has come up before the Town Meeting now for seven years. Article 81 proposes the question as to whether the town will allow the construction of Garden Apartments in Wilmington, and Article 80 then proposes the Harold Smith land on Woburn Street for approximately 100 apartments. Article 80 cannot be acted upon unless Article 81 is approved.

Each time this has been presented to the Town the Planning Board has indicated that it requires more time to study. So far there have been no positive recommendations by that board.

The present proposal is written by a former Town Manager of Wilmington, now an attorney. He will undoubtedly present the argu-

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Woburn, Mass.
March 9, 1970

Capt Larz Neilson, Editor
Town Crier of Wilmington

Dear Larz:

As we approach the hour of Town Meeting 1970, I should like to offer the following for consideration:

Yes, I am a non-resident of Wilmington, but not by choice. After having been Wilmington-educated and somewhat fully 'Wilmingtonized', I had to leave the Town. Why, because for a young married couple not in a position to purchase a home, there is no other alternative.

May I submit that the taxpayers of Wilmington hold onto the younger members of the community. Keep them, and allow them the opportunity to live in the town they call 'theirs'. Provide them the chance to become future landowners and taxpayers.

The above could become a reality --Garden Apartments.

Sincerely,
Kevin B McKelvey

March 9, 1970

Dear Larz:

Through your paper we wish to say that the band young people, adults, and friends had a wonderful time at the Al Graceffa Night on March 7th. We appreciate everyone's help in our 'Thanks, Mr. G!'

The Committee

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Mrs. Pearl H. Hersom

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Thank you all for your support in the recent election, and particularly to all of you that worked so hard for me and encouraged me during the campaign.

Mrs. Nancy H Clark

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ments on the floor of the Meeting.

This question is hard to avoid any longer. There appears to be some substantial support among town officials other than the Planning Board. The question, as they seem to see it, is; how long can the Town retain control, if it fails to adopt its own regulations?

Articles 82 and 83 present a new approach to the liquor question.

Many years ago, and with good reason, the town voted to go dry except for package stores. Last year, for the first time, the vote was for liquor sales in motels. The climate of the town is changing.

There are many who want to keep the town without bar-rooms, as such, and with good reason. The vote of last year constitutes a cloud on the horizon, if one bothers to read the records.

Article 82 would allow function halls seating more than 200 persons to serve liquor at tables while food is being served, but would prohibit any bar or lounge.

Article 83 would allow larger sized restaurants to serve liquor, under the same circumstances.

At the present time this would be applicable only to one function hall and to one restaurant in Wilmington, both now in existance. Also, at the present time, anyone can come into Wilmington and build a Motel and thus get all these priviliges and more.

The argument is that the two existing businesses should be entitled to the same priviliges, or at least some of them. They are so written that, if voted, the Town will have to petition the legislature to place the questions on the Ballot for the November elections, every two years thereafter, for the voters to decide.

Articles 84 and 85. Article 85 will have to be voted before 84. The proposed change in the Zoning By Law has to be voted first. Again, this column can only marvel at the obtusity of the Selectmen in their numbering of articles. It must be a deliberate policy.

Article 85 proposes to establish a new type of zoning, which is becoming increasingly common in some communities, as a means of requiring higher standards of development in selected areas. This same principle is being used too, in Research and Office Parks. The article proposes a Limited Office and Motel District.

Nothing else could be built in such a zone - no hamburger stands and similarly garish enterprises, for instance, which are now allowed in the General Business districts of the town.

The proponent is Frank D'Anolfo of Stoneham, who has similar properties elsewhere in Massachusetts. The proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law would allow construction of office buildings or motels up to five stories in height.

Under Article 84 these facilities would be constructed in land immediately adjoining Route 93, and, it should be said, on land that is not owned by Mr Elia, as reported several weeks ago in the Town Crier. This paper was in error at that time.

This column guesses the taxable investment would be between one and two million dollars.

Article 86 is a proposal that apartments be built in the land adjoining the proposed office and motel district, between West Street and Route 93. As reported in the Planning Board hearing, two hundred fifty apartments are involved, with rentals being up to $250 a month. The taxable property valuation was estimated at $3,500,000. The Planning Board was told that 53% of the land would be reserved for landscaping and recreational facilities, e.g. swimming pools, etc.

One objection this column has heard is that West Street is too narrow for such a development. This seems to make sense. Perhaps the town officials can get the developer to donate land next to West Street, and then build a new section of the road, next to his property, so as to widen that street, where it abuts the development. The Planning Board required this of a developer in North Wilmington several years ago, and it makes sense.

Article 87 is to rezone land for an existing store at the corner of Hopkins Street and Shawsheen Avenue. The zoning sought is Neighborhood Business. Once upon a time this store was closed for over a year, so that it lost whatever zoning rights it did have, in a non-conforming sense. The Planning Baord and the Finance Committee say No. This Column says Why Not?

Other Thoughts

As the result of a suggestion in this column last year, the Town Meeting adjourned to the following Saturday, instead of Monday evening, as the Selectmen wanted it.

If the Selectmen move to have the adjourned meeting on Monday let them know what you think.

There are some well founded rumors that the Board of Selectmen have agreed to disagree on many of the articles to be presented in the Town Meeting. This is particularly of interest because of the present thinking of the Moderator, Attorney John Callan.

Mr. Callan was unhappy at the spectacle, last year, of some of those on the podium arguing against the decisions of their boards. He felt, it would seem, that at least some of the arguments were for private political purposes, rather than the strict conduct of Town business, and recently he decided, or nearly decided, that anyone using the podium in an argument that was becoming political should have to descend to the Town Meeting floor, and argue his case like any other citizen.

So what is John Callan going to do if the Selectmen have agreed to disagree? How is he going to distinguish, instantly, if what is being said is a legitimate division of thoughts, or is just political?

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Wednesday: Beef Pie with Vegetables, Mashed Potato, Peas, Bread & Butter, Ice Cream, Milk.

Thursday: Juice, Cheeseburger on Buttered Roll, Fluffy Rice, Peas & Carrots, Jiffy Cookies, Milk.

Friday: American Style Pizza with Meat Sauce or Tuna Salad Roll, Potato Chips, Whole Kernel Corn, Pudding with Topping, Milk.

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Tuesday: Macaroni Shells with Meat Sauce, Green Beans, Bread & Peanut Butter, Scooter Pie, Milk.

Wednesday: Juice, Grilled Frankfurter on Buttered Roll, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Celery Sticks, Banaba, Milk.

Thursday: Chicken Croquette, Gravy, Mashed Potato, Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Bread & Butter, Fruit, Milk.

Friday: American Style Pizza, Meat Sauce, Potato Chips, Buttered Carrots, Ice Cream, Milk.

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Monday: Juice, Cheeseburger on Buttered Roll, Graham Crackers & Butter, Celery Sticks, Cookies, Milk.

Tuesday: Egg Salad Roll with Lettuce, Pretzels, Carrot Sticks, Scooter Pie, Milk.

Wednesday: Juice, Grilled Frankfurter on Buttered Roll, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Celery Sticks, Banana, Milk.

Thursday: Chicken Salad Roll, Potato Sticks, Cucumber Slices, Fruit, Milk.

Friday: American Style Pizza, Potato Chips, Carrot Sticks, Ice Cream, Milk.

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Hi, Folks. Well, it's here - the first sign of Spring. Mr Melvin from Washington Avenue called and said the Robin was in his yard, and on one of the coldest day this week So, it really is on the way. This Gal depends much more on the Robins as an indicator than that old Ground Hog. So, button up your overcoats for a few more weeks, and we're on the way!

Man, and am I glad about that Spring, on account of on Saturday at the polls, we were all so cold that I didn't know if we'd ever get thawed out. Thank you all for your help, and we'll try again next year!

Speaking of schools, that Walter Pierce should be congratulated on his first move as Superintendent in making an effort to open the lines of communications. At the No Intermediate last night, there were jams of parents and students and administrators and teachers. The turnout was remarkable. As the discussion evolved, it would leave a lot to be desired, since to us the school is like a train with administration the engine---- curriculum the cars, and the discipline the caboose. Well, the administration and discipline were covered, but there was practically no discussion of curriculum, which left this girl and many of her friends a little startled. We have strong feelings that each is relevant to the other, but the main part of the train is the curriculum and student body. To leave this hanging alarmed us! Perhaps they will cover this with another session We certainly hope so, beacuse the guide lines and establishment of this area in our schools as they presently stand is alarmingly intangible - at least to the parent! We also find in our course of conversation that the teacher is likely to react defensively to inquirty which shouldn't be necessary in our opinion! Anyway, it's a good start. Keep up the good work, Walter!

Have you seen Big Joe of sandwich fame around this last few days. Well, he's sporting a thumb and forefinger much bandaged. We thought it got caught in a meat slicer, but here's the story as we get it. Someone was kind enough to leave a loaded pistol under his couch, of some odd variety! He then found his youngster fiddling with it, and his wife took it from the youngster. So, Big Joe said 'You better let me look at that' With this, it exploded in his hand and they are all cut up from shrap nel and powder burns. God was certainly in his corner yesterday because he could have lost his family or himself. Wonderful, Joe that that's all that happened Hope they are well soon!

Sorry we blooped last week a couple of times. That dinner was for Lil Woodside and the wonderful job that she is doing with the Hospital Fund. Glad that the people appreciate it, and she really does work hard. Guess Mel thinks some of the time that he must be a widower, because she does the accounts and planning in the wee small hours of the morning. That is some family, that Group! Keep up that good work, Woodsides! We are certainly on your team!

Also, we certainly apologize to the Haas family if we upset them We certainly didn't mean to, but sometimes our information is not reliable. That's one of the problems in writing this column when we have to rely on being 'Nosey' I hope I am forgiven!

That Loretta is still feeding the people at the No Wil Pharm what she thinks goes with their faces! What a kid. She'll take your order with a big grin, and then serve it to the next one in line. And the people are so hypnotized by her that half of the time they eat it. That's our Ret!

And Doris from No Wil Pharm wants you all to pay attention to that Penny Sale Table she is cooking up for Monday night at 8 pm at the St Thomas Green Whist! She has promised blankets, funnies, good cheer, and maybe Loretta, if things keep on going the way they did this week!

Don't forget the Singing Ambassadors from Asbury College at the Methodist Church Sunday night at 8 pm. They are excellent!

Those Methodists are having special Easter services for the youngsters at 9:30 and 11 am and the Jr and Sr High youth and adults will be worshiping in the Sanctuary at 8, 9:30, and 11 am

Would have liked to be a fly on the wall at Rotary this week Big Daddy Les White gave the resume of FISH for the Rotarians This has been a fantastic program and really shows that Wilmingtonites want to help their Neighbors There are over 400 volunteers and they all do their 'thing'. More people are invited to call for help in time of need - 657-7778. Big Daddy really knows how to make things perk!

Barbara Dayton, the Program Services Chairman for the Merrimac Girl Scout Council tells it in a few words: The topic or slogan for the Girls is 'The Girl of Today is The Woman of The 70's'. In her words she describes a Girl Scout: 'A girl who is just as much at home in the tent as she is at a party... a girl who can step in the mud up to her knees and into a formal situation at a reception or dinner with equal aplomb. She can talk about the stars and science, yet knows how to cook and sew and take care of children. She can meet an emergency calmly. She is a young lady who keeps standards high and her sense of values in focus. She's a special kind of person because she made a promise that she tries her best to keep!'

Those are our Girls!

Thanks to David Parker of Lake St for this nice note: 'Dear Nancy I received a letter from my brother John Parker, whom you know is in VietNam, and enclosed is this poem in which he wrote. I

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Letter from Profesor Eliot

25 Reservoir St.
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Mr. Neilson:

Your report on the Public Hearing by the Planning Board - February 24 - concerning Warrant Articles for Zoning Changes includes a reference to me in remarks attributed to Mr. Stanley Webber. You say 'he quoted Mr. Eliot as saying 'that ... in the case of Conservation, where no one could exercise their rights, the people would soon tire of paying taxes, and the town would get the land by default'.'

I want to catagorically deny ever having said or implied any such thing! I am as much opposed to the taking of property without due process as Mr. Webber could possibly be; but I am also in favor of measures to protect and promote the 'health, safety, morals and general welfare' of all the people - as authorized by the State Zoning Enabling Act.

Flood Plain Zoning is one of those measures.

Contrary to the opinions you report as having been expressed at the Public Hearing, there is no question as to the Constitutionality of Zoning in general. Flood Plain Zoning rests on the same principals and purposes as all other zoning. If those who question the Constitutionality of Flood Plain Zoning sincerely desire a decision, they will not oppose adoption of the Zoning amendment, but after its adoption, find a part at interest to carry a law suit against in enforcement to the Supreme Court.

The purposes of Flood Plain Zoning are, among others, to protect the public against the hazards of floods by keeping residences out of the areas subject to floods; to prevent aggravation of flooding downstream by the destruction of the the natural reservoirs of the flood plain; to protect innocent investors against real estate promotion of land subject to flooding and consequent flooded cellars; and to protect the public health against pollution ofwater supplies caused by the flooding of septic tanks, etc. Those are all public purposes within the 'Police Power'.

The owners of properties within the proposed Wilmington Flood Plain District can continue to use their lands as they have been using them. Flood Plain Zoning will only prevent their MIS-using those lands to the detriment of the public. Surely Mr. Webber and his friends do not advocate that the public should pay people to do what is against the public interest?

Charles W. Eliot

Philip Buzzell's Opinion, to the Chamber of Commerce

1. The validity of the proposed amendments, if adopted, would be open to very serious question. Towns and cities have no inherent power to adopt zoning regulations Their right to do so depends entirely upon the extent to which, if at all, such power has been delegated to them by act of the legislature. Smith v Board of Appeals of Fall River, 319 Mass. 341 at P 345, where the Court said: 'But however laudable the purpose may be, a municipality cannot in this manner wander beyond the confines of the statutory authority under which alone it can act upon the subject matter.'

The legislature has conferred upon cities and towns a strictly limited power to deal with the subject of the proposed amendments. The final sentence of G. L. Chap. 40A, Sec 2, the only statutory provision dealing with the subject as it relates to zoning, first inserted in the zoning enabling act in 1954, reads as follows 'A zoning ordinance or by-law may provide that lands deemed subject to seasonal or periodic flooding shall not be used for residence or other purposes in such a manner as to endanger the health or safety of the occupants thereof.'

It cannot be seriously contended that any seasonal flooding which might occur along many of the small streams and brook courses proposed as flood plain districts could actually endange the health or safety of occupants of residences within their limits if built in compliance with presently existing health regulations. It will be noted that the stated purposes of establishing such districts go far beyond the statutory purpose of avoiding danger to the health or safety of occupants of such residences. They include protection of streams and other water courses from pollution taining the ground wter ta water supply purposes, protecti the community against the det-

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ARTICLES 59 & 60 'FLOOD PLAIN ZONING'

Articles 59 and 60, entitled Flood Plain Zoning, are in substance and intent, the same as Articles 52 and 53 'Conservancy Districts' in the warrant for the 1969 Annual Town Meeting. The Conservancy articles were defeated at the Town Meeting by a vote of 252 to 133.

Articles 59 and 60 go far beyond the legitimate objectives of the health and safety of the occupants within Flood Plain Zoning.

Articles 59 and 60 will significantly decrease the values of the properties which in turn will increase taxes to you, the taxpayer.

Articles 59 and 60 attempt to remove virtually all rights of the property owners, without just compensation. This is morally wrong, legally unjust, and unconstitutional.

There are existing state statutes such as the Hatch Act. the Inland Wetland Bill, and State Public Health Laws, which can accomplish legitimate conservation and flood plain objectives without the necessity of local by-laws.

Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, Inc.
Philip B. Buzzell, Attorney

We support, and highly endorse any legislation necessary to promote the best interests of the town of Wilmington.

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eral services are to be held w at 2 pm at the Nichols Home, for Winfred W. tired Fire Chief of Wil- The Rev. Willis Miller officiate, and burial is to fol- w in the Wildwood Cemetery.

A native of Wilmington, Mr. Rice would have been 90 years old on December 24th. He died Tuesday th the Tewksbury Hospital.

inta e was the son of the late Sam We ice, Constable of Wilmington and Mrs Mary (Gowing) Rice, and graduated from Wilmington High School in 1897.

Mr Rice served for many years in the Wilmington Fire Department, having been one of the original members when it was organized in 1903. He was appointed a permanet fireman in 1928, became Assistant Chief in 1929, and on March 3 1948 became Fire Chief of Wilmington, a post he filled with distinction until his retirement.

Also a cabinet maker, he taught manual training in Wilmington High School about fifty years ago.

He was in the Massachusetts Militia for many years, in the years before World War I.

He was a member of the Whitefield Lodge, IOOF, from the date of its organization in 1916, and was a Past Noble Grand.

He was also a member of the Wilmington Methodist Church.

Surviving are three sons, Norman of Tewksbury, Percival C. of Melbourne, Florida and Herman of Renton Washington, and a daughter, Mrs Eva McLain of Seattle Washington. There are five grandchildren and 11 great grandchildrren.

Visiting hours, at the Nichols Funeral Home, Middlesex Avenue, are from 7 to 9 tonight.

CHARLES E ELLIS
PASSES AWAY

Charles E Ellis, of Seven Fort Hill Avenue in Lowell, died at the Lemuel Shattuck Hospital in Boston on March 5 after a long illness.

Mr Ellis, who was 53 years of age at the time of his death was born in Boston, the son of the late Charles M and the late Adeline E (Chase) Ellis, and had resided in Wilmington most of his life, before taking up residence in Lowell several years ago.

He had been a member of the Wilmington Fire Department for many years prior to his illness forcing his retirement 10 years ago

Mr Ellis is survived by his wife, Florence E (Wodell), two sons Carlton D and John W, both of Lowell; two brothers: Paul of Wilmington; James of Natick; five sisters: Mrs Frances Fiske of California, Mrs Ruth Bird of Tennessee, Mrs Genivieve Maguire of Missouri, Mrs Mary Smith of Maine, and Mrs Theresa Dupont of Lowell.

Funeral Services were held at the United Methodist Church on March 9 at 11 am with Rev . Willia P Miller officiating.

Burial followed in the family lot at Wildwood Cemetery. A Delegation of Wilmington Firemen served as pall bearers for Mr Ellis, led by Chief Arthur Boudreau and consisting of the following men Lt Harold Call, Earlmest Burns, Daniel Wandell, John Burke, Augustus Blaisdell, and William Nee.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of the W S Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home.

JOSEPH SANCHEZ
DIES SUDDENLY

Joseph Sanchez, of Cunningham Street, Wilmington, died suddenly at his residence on Monday morning March 9th.

Mr Sanchez, born in Boston 81 years ago was the son of the late Joseph and the late Louise (Safrine) Sanchez, and had been a resident of Wilmington for the past 24 years.

He was a retired sign painter

Mr Sanchez is survived by his wife Gladys M (Popple) three sons Joseph of Everett, Harry of California, and Lawrence of Missouri 8 grandchildren, and 6 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today at the W S Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St at one o'clock with Reverend Willis Miller of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will take place in the family lot at Wildwood Cemetery.

Hospital Building Fund Contributions

Relatives, friends, and loved ones honored by contributions to The Wilmington Regional Hospital Building Fund this week include:

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Charles Ellis from Mr and Mrs William Cavanaugh

Donna Quandt, lovingly remembered on her third anniversary, by her grandparents, The Alex Quandts

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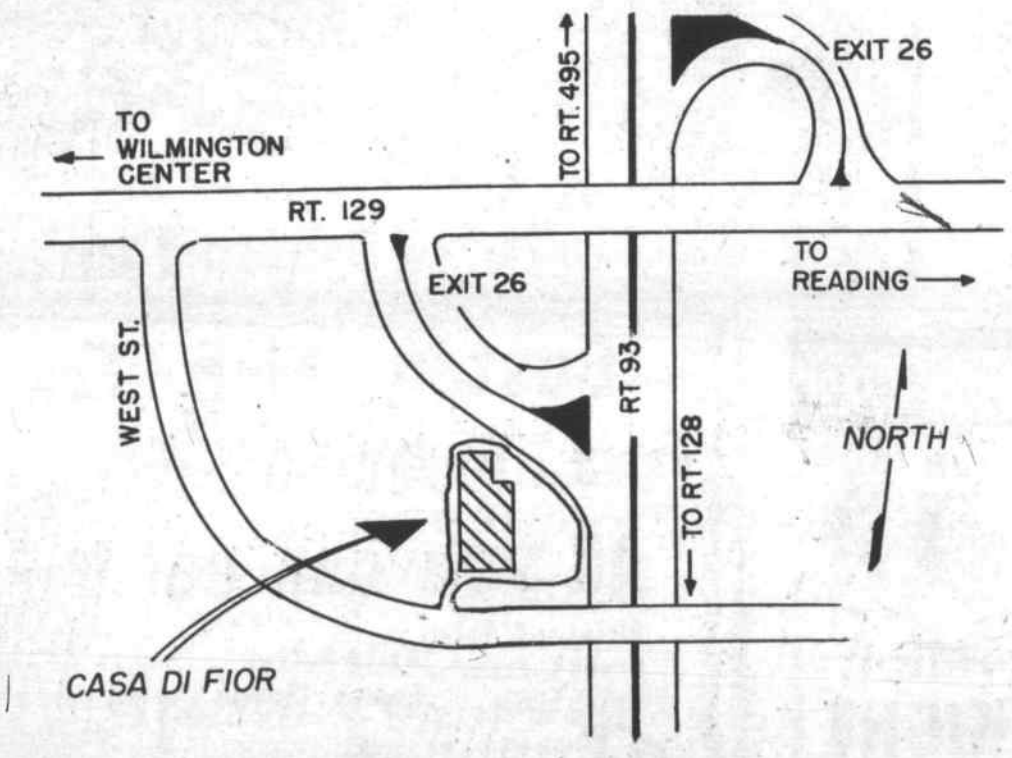

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U-HAUL RENTALS

A NEW CHARTER FOR TROOP 56 Boy Scouts, was presented last Saturday at the Blue and Gold Banquet, in the Congregational Church. Neighborhood Commissioner Arthur Keefe of Wilmington is shown presenting the charter to the Rev. H. Allen Tadgell, Jr.

THE BEST DECORATED SCOUT: Allen Jenson, (left) was sporting a 'shiner' Saturday night at the Blue & Gold Banquet, acquired the night before when he bumped into a stanchion. With him are Scouts John Francis and Paul Green.

YOUNGSTERS SAY THEY WERE ON THE SIDEWALK

Last week the Town Crier reported an accident in which it was reported that 'seven to nine' young people were on the street, on Middlesex Avenue, at a time when three of them were struck by a car.

According to their parents the youngsters were not on the street but on the sidewalk at the time of the accident. One of the young men was Vincent Sciffo, 12, of Grove Avenue. The Town Crier has yet been unable to get a complete list.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING

The newly elected Selectman, Carl Backman, was welcomed to the board Monday evening by the Chairman, James F Banda.

Backman's first item of business was to question if there was a program table, for the rust in the water pipes of Wilmington. He was told by the TM that cast iron pipes caused the rust, the only solution was to cement line the pipes, which wojld be at some cost as there were 35 miles of piping to be cemented. Meetings had been held, and the only solution was 'heavy maintenance'.

Four High School students were present. On March 30th they are to hold a Mock Selectmen's Meeting. The students were Martin Flaherty, Robert Ballou, Shem Krey, and Daniel Sullivan, and they were sponsored by Mrs Joan Bachman, Mrs Charlotte Stewart and Mrs Barbara Cogan of the League of Women Voters.

Jurors drawn for the Cambridge Jury Pool, starting on April 6 were Rita Ann O'Hara of South Street and Herbert L Fielding, 48 Butters Row. Drawn for the Criminal Session in Cambridge Court starting on April 7 were Bernard L Rivers of 1 Lake Street and Milton I Bradford of 12 Dorothy Avenue. John M Russo of 59 Middlesex Avenue was drawn to sit in the Jury Pool at Lowell Court starting April 6.

Chairman Banda read an invitation to the Installation of the Minute Men Officers at the American Legion Hall on March 15 at 2 pm.

He also read a letter from the Department of Natural Resources

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Michael J Kartuz of Chestnut Street appeared before the Wilmington Board of Appeals ten years ago. He wanted a variance, to be allowed to have a green house.

It wasn't exactly easy, but he got his variance, and he has been growing flowers ever since.

Kartuz was a hobbyist, long before he came to Wilmington. He had been working in an office - and he wanted a different way of life.

Today he has a greehouse filled with blosooming plants, and has become a leading commercial grower of gesneriads, begonias, African violets, gloxinias, and geraniums. He will have a wide variety of choice flowering plants on exhibit, starting on March 14, at the New England Spring Garden and Flower Show, at Suffolk Downs.

His choice flowering plants are suitable for growing indoors, in hanging containers, under fluorescent lights. Kartuz plans to build a lath house for himself, at the Flower Show, for his exhibit.

A modest unassuming man, he advises that all flowering plants have direct sunlight, especially during winter, and agrees that fluorescent light is a very satisfactory substitute for natural light within the confines of certain rules

He is a bachelor, and he learned the art of growing plants by experimenting and caring for them. It was a hobby, and it developed into a business and complete way of life.

The main section of his greenhouse opens on a display of African violets of breath taking beauty. The second section houses many of his hanging plants, plus gloxinias, violets and begonias in the earlier stages of growth.

The third unit is cooler when Kartuz grows many minature geraniums and gloxinia for terraniums Primroses are to be found in separate, small urns with no heat at all but the sun, and whatever warm air filters in from the other greenhouses. They love it, and thrive beautifully, Kartuz says. Largely he lets the flowers and their lavish growth speak for themselves, for he is a dedicated horticulturist with few words, but great accomplishment.

Kartuz plans to take about five station wagon loads of his house plants into Suffolk Downs for the floral spectacle, which runs from March 14 to March 22. The show is to open at noon on opening day, at 1 pm on Sundays, and from 10 am to 10 pm daily.

11th Annual Industrial Arts Exhibit

High School

The Eleventh Annual Industrial Arts Exhibition will be held on Thursday, March 19, 1970, in the Industrial Arts Area. The Exhibition will be open to the public from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

Judging will take place during the day and the outstanding award of the year will be presented to one student for exceptional craftsmanship. In addition, an outstanding achievement award will be presented to a junior high student

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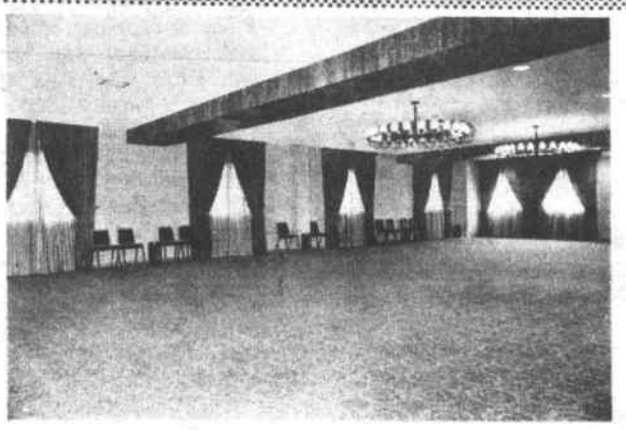

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High School Sports

BOYS BASKETBALL

Junior Center Dennis Murphy and Junior Guard Bill Gustus have been elected Co-captains of the Varsity for the 1970-71 season. Coach DiSarcina also announced at a team meeting last week that Murphy was voted the most valuable player on the Varsity this past season. Other awards went to Senior Forward Alan Heim - best field goal shooting percentage 52% making 50 to 97 attempts; and to Murphy - best foul shooting percentage - 70% - being successful on 62 of 89 shots.

Murphy also led the varsity in scoring with 284 points. Senior Capt Dan Ballou was runner up with 267 points, followed by Gustus with 192, Heim 148, John McNevin 76, Frank Leverone 35, Bill Jensen 30, Tom Beaton, and Lance Platt 26 apiece, Mike Rounds 13 Bob Conlin 9, and Tom Mirisola and Rick Smallidge with 2 each.

Coach Stone's Jayvees finished the season with an 11 and 7 record which augers well for next season While the freshmen of Coach Milley concluded the year on a losing note with 4-7 record, Bob Gillis with 117 points paced the Frosh in scoring. Mark Nelson was runner-up with 107, followd by Rick Nickerson with 85, Jason Platt 63 Steve Daniell 38, and Mark Jepson with 29.

The Conference All-Star Team included Howe and Muller of the Tech Tourney Class 'C' Champion Golden Warriors of Andover; Ackroyd and Zagorski of No Andover; Minishak and Reid of Billerica; Renshaw and nastasia of Chelmsford; Ford of Methuen, and Sullivan of Tewksbury. Dennis Murphy and Dan Ballou of our own Wildcats Quintet gained honorable mentions.

Murphy finished ninth in the Conference scoring race with 228 points. Renshaw of Chelmsford was the scoring champ with 317 points. Capt Ballou was 14, Gustus 20th, and Heim 27th.

DONKEY BASKETBALL

In the Donkey Basketball Game last week, the Senior Varsity dropped the faculty, 20-14. Playing before a standing room only crowd the varsity proved that youth would prevail as they were able to ride and shoot much better than their teacher counterparts. The faculty would like to thank everyone who made the evening a success and the scholarship fund was the deserving recipient.

HOCKEY

The Varsity lost to Masconomet 3-2 last Saturday, in the consolation game of the annual league playoffs. Andover dropped Burlington in a double-overtime game 3-2 to emerge as the playoff winners. The win by the Golden Warriors was their first in four tries against the league-champion Red Devils.

The Wildcats took an early lead as Freshman Frank McLean pushed home a power play goal at 5:44 of the first period. This goal came midst a goal crease scramble as they were forcing the play McLean merely flipped a Dave Kindred rebound over the prone Masco goalie for a short-lived lead.

Masco came back to grab the lead in the second period on a 10 foot slapshot by McGrane at 0:59 seconds and an unassisted goal by Sennott at 10:35. Sennott put the Chieftans in front 3-1 with a third period power play goal. This score came at 3:58 with Steve Neal in the penalty box. Junior Steve Catalano closed out the scoring for the Wildcats at 8:28 with a five-foot rebound shot of a shot by Capt. Irwin.

Members of the MVHL first team all-stars includes: Jr Defenseman Mike Esposito of our own Varsity Also on defense were Mark Hockmeyer of Andover and Jack Flynn of Burlington. The forwards selected were Dan McCraine, Masconomet; George Hughes of Tewksbury, and Dan Yeadon of Burlington. The goalie was Senior Paul Ganley from Burlington. Jim Irwin and Dana Tighe of the Wildcat Sextet were selected as second team all-stars for this past season

Captain Irwin was the top goal scorer for the Varsity this season netting 14. Jimmy also earned 11 assists for a total of 26 pts. Other Goal Scorers included Ray Bicknell and Ray York with five a piece, followed by Dave Irwin, Mike Esposito and Steve Neal with three each. Esposito notched 12 assists to again highlight his value to the team.

Dana Tighe finished the regular season with an excellent 1.61 goals against average, stopping 91% of the 335 shots taken upon him. Senior Wally Neal, who played an outstanding game against Masconomet in the playoffs, stopped 87% of the shots taken on him in regular season play.

The varsity ended up with an overall record of 12-7-1, and a second place finish in the league. Coach Fessenden does not lose a starter from the varsity and this should auger well for the 70-71 season.

Summary:
Masconomet (3); Wilmington (2)
First Per: (W) McLean (Dv Kindred, Esposito) 5:44.
Second: (M) McCraine (B Hennigar)):59; (M) Sennott (un) 10:35
Third: (M) Sennott (D Hennigar) 0:59; (W) Catalano (J Irwin) 8:28
Saves: Neal 13 - 3 - 5 - 21
Castner 5 - 2 - 6 - 13

Open Letter to Mr Catalano and the Residents of Wilmington

A group of residents of Bedford Mass had a meeting which was attended by a reporter from another paper and I was quoted as saying that the Pop Warner Football Program in Wilmington is a 'Dog eat Dog' situation in the issue of Feb 22, 1970, page B9

This statement is NOT indicative of the Pop Warner Football Program in your Town. Several other towns in the Bedford area were mentioned at the meeting, primarily Arlington, pertaining to youth sport programs that are being operated in those towns; hockey, football and little League base ball. This is how Wilmington got mentioned. Unfortunately or maybe fortunately, other towns were not included in the article.

I have tried to remember just exactly how I made reference to the Pop Warner Program, and if my remarks didn't come out right or were not quite reported correctly is a mute point at this time. The main point being that you in Wilmington have an enviable program and therefore, I wish to extend my sincerest apologies for causing concern about your program.

This retraction was submitted to the Town Crier in order to reach the largest number of people in Wilmington.

Signed Robert M French

Little League

REGISTRATIONS
EXTENDED

Due to conflicting events last Saturday, additional Little League Registrations will be accepted on March 14 at the American Legion Hall from 10 am to noon.

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Town League Basketball

Final League Standings

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Merchants	10	5	.667
Bedell's	8	7	.533
Sweetheart	6	9	.400
DeLoury	6	9	.400
Chargers	4	11	.267

Newhouse clinched the regular season championship of the Town League Basketball Adult Division when it defeated Sweetheart last week. Dave Newhouse's quintet finished on top with an 11 - 4 record with the Merchants a close second at 10 - 5. Bedell's came in third at 8 - 7, while Sweetheart and DeLoury deadlocked for fourth place at 6 - 9.

In a special one-game playoff for the fourth and final playoff berth, Sweetheart topped DeLoury 56 - 43 on Tuesday night. The playoff semifinals will be held tonight with Newhouse playing Sweetheart at 7:15 pm, and the Merchants opposing Bedell's at 8:45. The playoff finals are listed for March 18 with the consolation game at 7:15 pm and the championship contest at 8:45 pm

In other games last week, Bedell's upset the Merchants 74 - 73 and Newhouse downed Sweetheart 84 - 77, to give Newhouse the title. Bob Cassello's jump shot before the final buzzer gave Bedell's its triumph over the Merchants, after Sheehan put the Merchants ahead with five seconds left George Pratt tallied 25, Paul Dearborn 22, Len Gustus 11, and Cassello 10 for Bedell's and McNabb scored 20, Manley and Sheehan 16 a piece and Bill Walls 14 for the Merchants.

Steve Donahue and Dave Orndorff combined to net 73 points for Newhouse in its title clinching triumph over Sweetheart Donahue scored 41 and Orndorff 32. For Sweetheart, it was Ed Doherty with 22, Larry Minton 21, Al Maiella 16 and Irion Patterson 15.

Minton was 14 paced Sweetheart in the battle for the final playoff spot. Patterson with 13, and Doherty aided the winners with 11 Playing coach George Hanna led the losers scoring 15 points.

EDDIE WHITE GRADUATE OF MDC POLICE ACADEMY

Edward White of Lowell Street, appointed to the Metropolitan District Police on January 5th has completed his studies at the MDC Police Academy. He was given his diploma on February 20th.

Bowling

WOMEN's LEAGUE BOWLING NEWS

Team Standings

1. Maybe's
2. Woodchucks
3. Dilly's
4. Tag Alongs
5. Glory Girls
6. Candle Pins
7. Great Ones
8. Hi Lo's

1. Norma Hembree
2. Betty APRILE
3. Marion Howard
4. Marie Butler
5. Helen Witham
6. Mary McMahon
7. Nora Branscombe
8. Joanne Day
9. Dot Kelley
10. Peg Page

Another week (second week in a row) at 302 for Marie Butler How does she do it? Peg Baker hit 111 this week for her high game of the season. Good rolling to both of you.

We all wish Betty Aprile a quick recovery from her surgery at Winchester last week. Hope to see her back soon.

WILMINGTON SONS OF ITALY BOWLING LEAGUE STANDINGS

March 9, 1970

Ravens	56	16	11077
Eagles	50	22	11851
Falcons	50	22	11834
Hawks	48	24	11740
Bullets	24	48	11403
Royals	22	50	10483
Pilots	21	51	11357

High TR

High Triple

Frank Daniels 329; Cynthia Esposito 316

High Songle

Bil Kincaid 128; Sally Brunnelle 119

NORTH WILMINGTON LEAGUE BOWLING

Mytron I	48	24
Jaycees	44	28
Total Ins	38	34
No Wil Pharm	36	36
Pineridge Cl	34	38
Stop & Go	28	44

Division II

Ron's B Sh	50	22
Ceaser Al	48	24
Mytron II	44	28
Hylectronics	30	42
Pet shop	24	48
Town Crier	8	64

High Triples

Lloyd Bender 593, Don Vokey 560 Dan Burbine 551, Edna Berger 486 Ann Knowlton 477, Lorraine Burt 469.

High Singles

Lloyd Bender 244, Ernie Drub 226, Don Vokey 224, Edna Berger 178, Lorraine Burt 177, Ann Knowlton 177

Births

LENNOX, Heather Dawn, second daughter third child to Mr and Mrs Richard Lennox of Westdale Avenue in the New England Memorial Hospital in Stoneham on February 2, 1970

McCONOLOGUE, Daniel Patrick, to Mr and Mrs Thomas McConologue of 4 Patricia Circle at the Winchester Hospital on February 17, 1970. Mrs McConologue is the former Rosalie Brown.

Maternal Gradparents are Mr and Mrs David Brown of Wilmington and the Paternal Grandparent is Mrs Mary McConologue of Everett. Great Grandparents are Henry Loring of Wilmington and Mrs Annie Brown of California

MEN WANTED

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

The Wilmington Little League is in need of men interested in managing, coaching, or umpiring during the coming season. Anyone interested should plan to attend a general meeting to be held at the American Legion Hall at 8 pm on Wednesday March 18.

If you are interested, but unable to attend, please call Bill Fay (657-7654) or Dick Callahan (658-625[illegible]) as soon as possible.

HOCKEY SPORTS NIGHT

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INCREASED PROTECTION FOR WILMINGTON

THROUGH RESPONSIBLE REGULATION

ARTICLE 83 IN THE WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING IS A PETITION TO THE LEGISLATURE FOR AN ADDITIONAL QUESTION TO BE PRESENTED EVERY TWO YEARS TO THE VOTERS OF WILMINGTON.

AT PRESENT, AND EXCEPT FOR HOTELS, THE VOTERS CAN ONLY APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE UNRESTRICTED SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES. EVERY TWO YEARS THE MARGIN OF DISAPPROVAL FOR BAR ROOMS GROWS SMALLER.

ARTICLE 83 WOULD ALLOW THE VOTERS TO CHOOSE BETWEEN THE UNRESTRICTED SALE OF LIQUOR AND THE CAREFULLY LIMITED SERVICE OF ALCOHOLIC DRINKS ONLY IN RESTAURANTS UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS.

1. The restaurant must have a seating capacity of not less than one hundred persons.
2. The dining room area must have a minimum area of 1200 square feet.
3. The restaurant kitchen must have a minimum area of 500 square feet.
4. Alcoholic beverages can be served only to persons SEATED AT TABLES in the Dining Room.
5. No liquor can be served or sold at a bar, or in a lounge reserved for drinking.
6. Both the Selectmen and the State Alcoholic Beverages Commission have full authority to revoke any license for violation of conditions.

APPROVAL BY THE TOWN MEETING WOULD SIMPLY ALLOW ALL VOTERS TO DECIDE THE QUESTION IN NOVEMBER. THEREAFTER, THE VOTERS COULD CHOOSE EVERY TWO YEARS WHETHER TO APPROVE OR TO DISAPPROVE THIS PRIVILIGE.

ROCCO'S RESTAURANT IS THE ONLY RESTAURANT IN WILMINGTON WHICH CAN SATISFY THESE REQUIREMENTS. A SUBSTANTIAL, TAXABLE INVESTMENT IN A FULL-SIZE RESTAURANT WOULD BE REQUIRED BY ANY OTHER FACILITY SEEKING SUCH A LICENSE.

WILMINGTON NEEDS A REAL CHOICE

VOTE YES ON ARTICLE 83

/s/ ROCCO V. DePASQUALE

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BUZZELL'S OPINION
(From Page 7)

mental use and development of lands in areas subject to flooding and to maintain the watershed areas of the town for the health safety and welfare of the public

What this proposal actually seeks to accomplish is the general regulation and control at the local instead of at the state level of inland wet lands, a subject which the legislature by other statutory enctments has committed to the Department of Natural Resources, G L Chap 131, Secs 40 and 40A Such general regulation at the local level is clearly not within the authorizaton of the zoning enabling act

It must be remembered that zoning regulations must be kept within the area of the so-called police power of the state, if they are not to run afoul of constitutonal prohibitions against the taking of private property withoutcom ing of private property without compensation. This is obviously why the zoning enabling act confined the authority delegated over flood plain districts to situations where the health or safety of occupants of such premises might be endangered. Restrictions on the use of private property required by considerations of health and safety may be imposed without incurring liability for damages. On the other hand, an examination of the provisions of GL chap 131 Sec 40A will reveal that the much broader restrictions on the use of so-called wet lands there provided for were recognized as involving the necessity of eminent domain takings and the payment of damages unless the consent of the privat owners involved could be obtained.

A recent decision of the Supreme Court well illustrates the border line between zoning restrictions within the proper area of the police power and restrictions which go beyond it. Aronson v Sharon, 346 Mass 598. In this case the town of Sharon had undertaken to require lots in a certain district to be of a minimum size of 100,000 square feet, admittedly for the purpose of discouaging building and keeping the land available for conservation purposes and possible acquision by the town. In holding this restriction invalid, the Cout said at P 604: 'We cannot resist the conclusion that, however worthy the objectives, the by-law attempts to achieve a result which properly should be the subject of eminent domain. As Mr Justice Holmes said in Pennsylvania Coal Co v Mahon, 260 U S 393, 415-416, 'while property may be regulated to a certain extent, if regulation goes too far it will be recognized as a taking. (A) strong public desire to improve the public condition is not enough to warrant achieving the desire by a shorter cut than the constitutional way of paying for the change...'

The same principle is well illustrated in Barney & Carey Co v Milton, 324 Mass 440, where a zoning by-law which limited the petioner's property to residence uses was held invalid so far as that property was concerned because its situation and physical characteristics made it practically impossible to use it for residences, whereas it could have been used for business. At pg. 445 the Court said:

'The power to regulate the use of property under zoning regulations is a branch of the police power..... When the applicatin of the by-law to a particular parcel of land or to a specific use of the land togehter with the attending pecular circumstances demonstrates that the imposition of the zoning regulation in such an instance has no real or substantial relation to the pblic safety, public health or public welfare but would amount to an arbitrary, unreasonable, and oppressive deprivation of the owner's interest in his private property, then that application of the regulations has ben struck down.'

Obviously a regulation like the one now proposed, which in practical effect would prevent any profitable use of land within a 'flood plain district', and would leave the owner with nothing but the privilege of paying taxes on it, would be invalid as a zoning regulation because not within the constitutional scope of the police power.

2. The proposed regulation accomplishes no legitimate object which is not already provided for by existing statutes and regulations. No building can be constructed in such an area without complying with Board of Health requirements as to leaching fields which in turn would require a sufficient fill to make such a leaching field available. And such fill cannot be carried out, in lowland bordeing on inland waters, without the approval of the selectmen which in turn is subject to review by the Commissioner of Natural Resources. G L Chap 131, Sec 40

Furthermore under Section 40A of the same chapter, the commissioner of natural resources may regulate, restrict or prohibit dredging, filling, altering or polluting inland wet lands. But as already pointed out, the statute provides that if the consent of the private owners affected cannot be obtained, resort must eventually be had to a taking by eminent domain.

The liability to pay damages for such taking cannot constitutionally be evaded by attempting to achieve the same results under the guise of zoning regulations. If it is desired to make such areas in effect conservation districts, the honest and above board course would be to seek authority for their taking by eminent domain, as has been done with respect to other areas under preceding articles in this warrant.

The undersigned therefore recommend a negative vote on the proposals contained in Articles 59 and 60 of the warrant.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING
(From Page 10)

to Mrs Cynthia Williams, the Chairman of the Conservation Commission, which included the reimbursement check for the Martins Brook Water Shed in the amount of $5500. It commended the Town for its Conservation plans.

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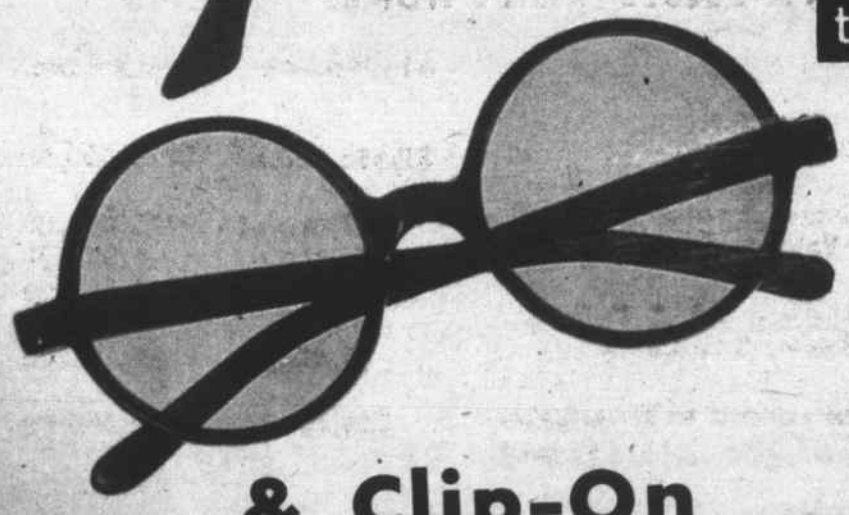

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ARTICLE 80 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

PROPOSED APARTMENTS

ARTICLE 81 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

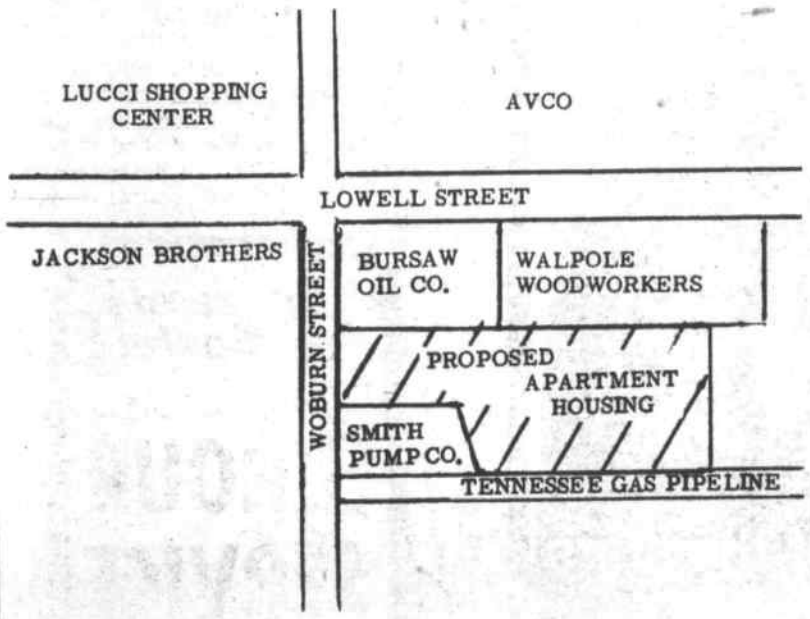
OAKBROOK TERRACE APARTMENTS

WOBURN ST., WILMINGTON, MASS.

A BENEFIT TO WILMINGTON - ESPECIALLY OUR HOMEOWNERS

A STABLE TAX RATE IN WILMINGTON CAN BE ACHIEVED ONLY BY RESPONSIBLE, REASONABLY CONTROLLED DEVELOPMENT. THIS PROPOSED INVESTMENT OFFERS SIGNIFICANT ADVANTAGES TO EVERY TAXPAYER.

AN IDEAL LOCATION FOR APARTMENTS



1. The apartments will be constructed and operated by a private, local developer, subject to the regulations of the Town of Wilmington.
2. This development is NOT subsidized or controlled by the State or Federal governments. In fact, the ADOPTION OF REASONABLE REGULATIONS GOVERNING APARTMENT CONSTRUCTION will help Wilmington to resist state - enforced housing policies.
3. Limited to not more than two bedrooms, the proposed apartments will provide attractive housing for teachers, older couples who want to dispense with the burden of maintaining single - family homes, newly married couples - especially the sons and daughters of Wilmington families - offering a choice of housing to complement industrial growth in the Town.

1. Land in this area is predominately industrial, commercial and business use and zoning.
2. Apartments would provide a protective buffer zone for single - family residential areas.
3. Public sewage disposal available - now serves AVCO.
4. The proposed site is not suitable for high-quality single-family homes.

COMPARE THE TAX REVENUE FOR THIS SITE:

WITH APARTMENTS VS. SINGLE FAMILY HOMES

	APARTMENTS	SINGLE FAMILY
Assessed Valuation	$1,350,000.00	$270,000.00
Real Estate Taxes on 1969 Tax Rate	55,000.00	11,000.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	6,800.00	1,200.00
	$61,800.00	$12,200.00
Less School Tax Costs	5,400.00	9,700.00
Net Tax Benefit to Wilmington	$56,400.00	$2,500.00

VOTE YES

ARTICLE 80: TO REZONE THE HAROLD SMITH PROPERTY (5.17 ACRES) FOR GARDEN APARTMENTS

ARTICLE 81: TO AUTHORIZE LIMITED GARDEN APARTMENT DISTRICTS

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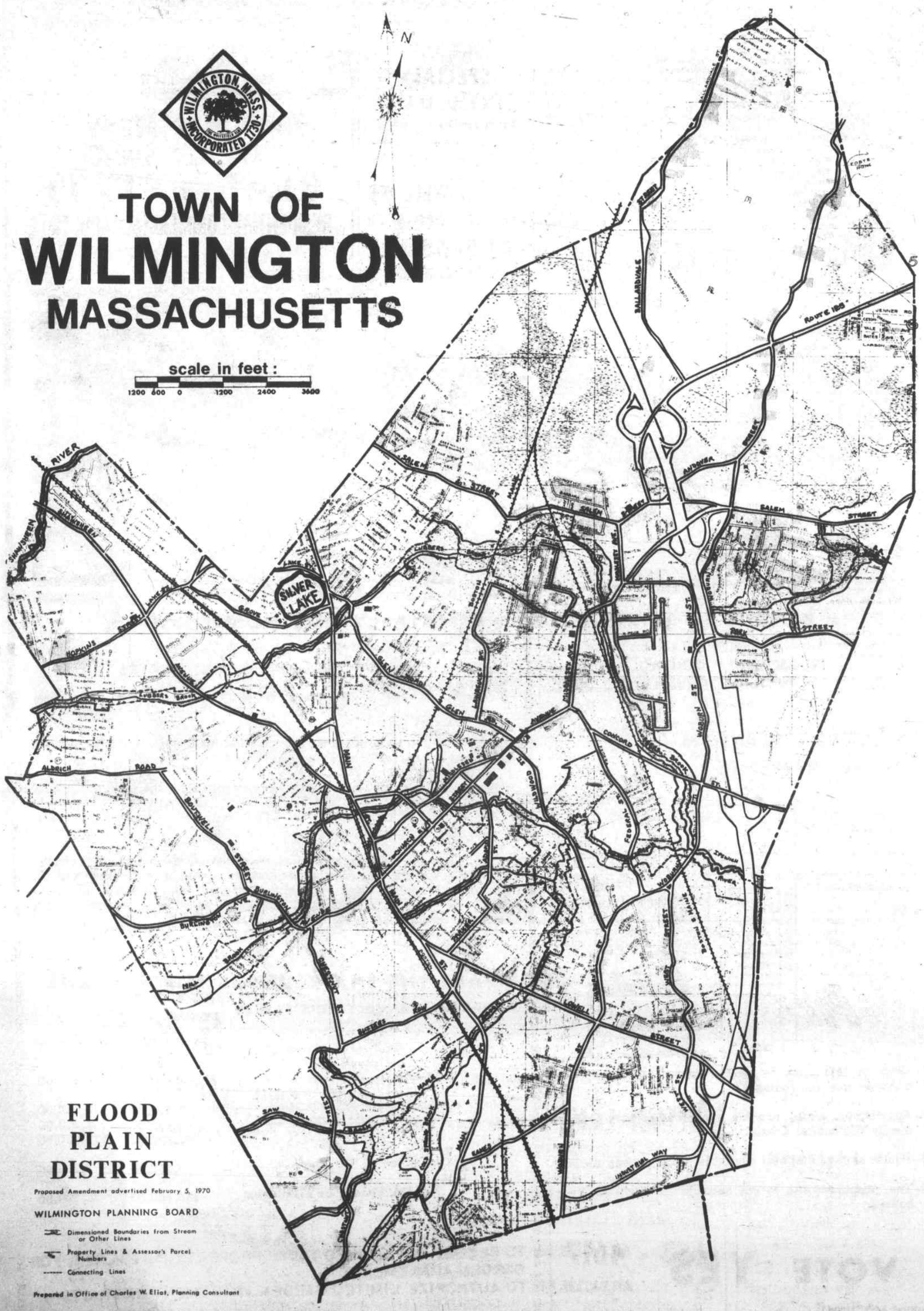
As Proposed By Planning Board

Proposed Flood Plain Zoning



NOSEY NANCY
(Fr. Pg. 6)

thought you would like to read it. John is now stationed in Bong Son VietNam. He told me that he received a Christmas Card from you and I also read it in your column. I would like to say thank you for the wonderful job you are doing keeping the townspeople informed about our young people overseas. I am sure all of the people in this town feel as I do. Keep up the great job you're doing, Nancy. Thank you. David Parker. P.S. My nephew Mike Robinson will be home from Viet Nam on March 12. I am sure he will stop in to see you.'

(Wow, David. Thanks for the note. It was the morale booster I needed this week! Stop in with Mike to see me and then I am certain he'll come. Hear that, Mike? Also, will attempt to put in John's poem if there is space. Feel as though I knew all of you boys from my chats with your aunt Nellie Thompson. Gee, I think there are almost as many of you as there are of the Clan! Look what I got coming. It'll take all of my time just to keep track of kids and their kids. Well perhaps we'll get a full time secretary for that. Huh, could use one now!)

VIETNAM
by John Parker

VietNam is a Spot
A Land that God had forgot
Back at home, some people don't give a damn
For the Men, who belong to Uncle Sam.
They hide in churches - up in towers
Thinking about their Lives, but What about Ours?
They march up and down the streets
Carrying Signs asking for Peace!

It's no fun, but there is a Job here that has to be done
And 'We' won't pull out till the War has been Won.
Back at home, our loved ones pray
Waiting for that Special Day
On our way Home at last.
We have done what our Country asked.

We will take a Long Rest, for we know we have done our best
Our Country will never forget the men who gave their Lives
Some left behind their children and their Wives

We all stop and say a Prayer
We know they certainly did their Share
When They reach the Gates of Heaven
St Peter will surely yell, 'Send these Men to Heaven, for They spent their time in Hell

Later in life, the men who served in Vietnam will surely say
'No Son, I didn't March and Gather in a Crowd.
I went to VietNam, and came Home Proud!'

(Those are fine sentiments, John! Take care, and come home! Our Hearts and Prayers are with you and you can be proud of the fact that your Wilmingtonites are really standing behind you guys all the way. I think we're all for Peace but we know you guys are there and we're with you each and every one all the way!)

Now, back at the Hut. All things are equalizing. We finally got it hoed out after the political doings and what happened - the Indians are home on vacation. We do love them, but what a mess of dirty socks, boots, jackets, etcetera, etcetera, etcetera! We understand from No. 2's be - trothed that he is somewhere up near the Berlin Wall doing guard duty, but natch, we haven't had a letter yet....Boy, lucky he's not handy for another ten months on account of we'd really give it to him for not letting us know what is where and how! But we better hear by next week, or he'll be able to hear me in Germany!)

Now, hear this! Don't forget the Town Meeting. You better get down there and vote, or you may be under water!

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by Louie

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An allergy is a person's abnormal reaction to certain substances -- altered activity. The body alters its action toward such substances.

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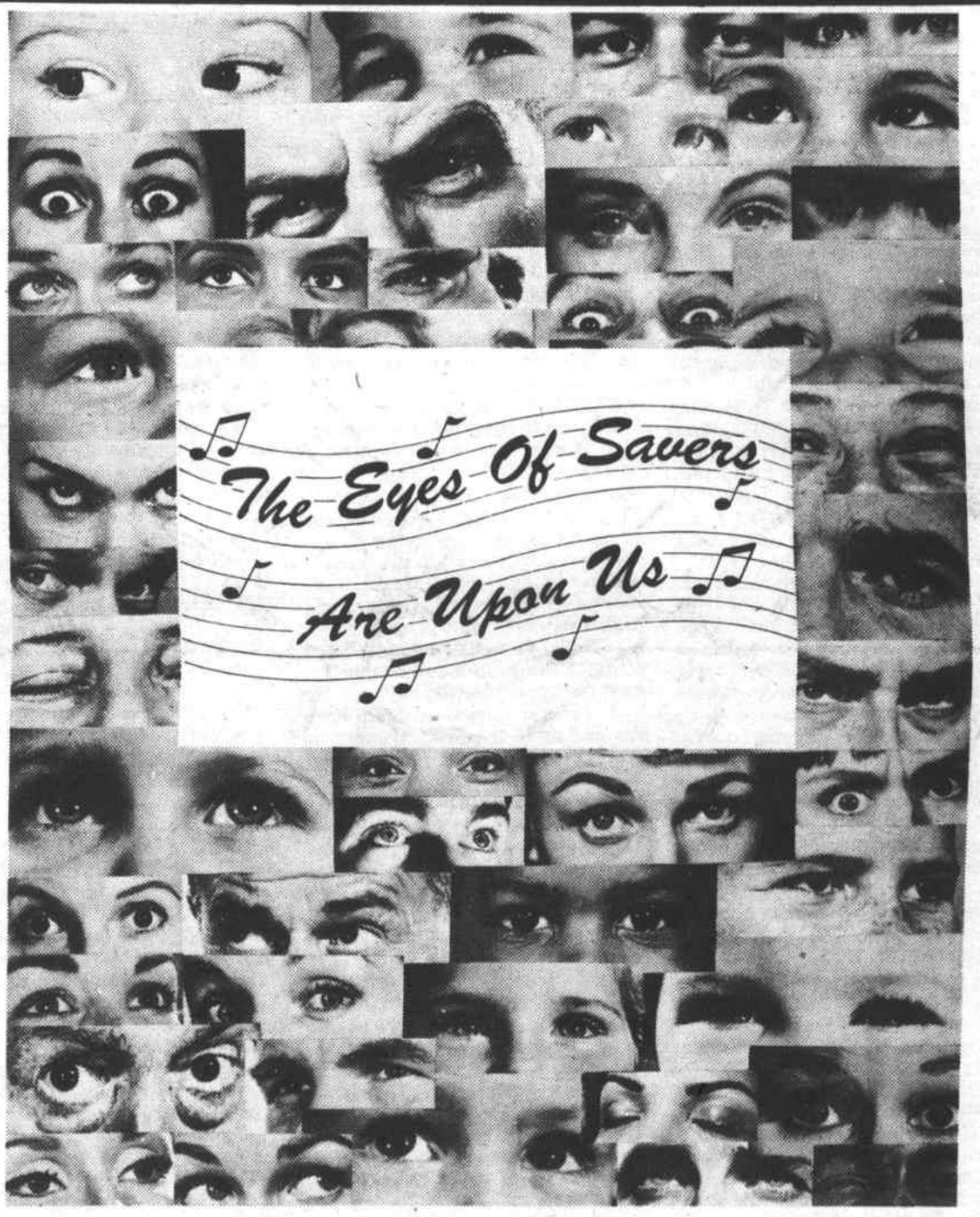

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COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of FRANCIS C. EMMONS late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by FRANCIS C. EMMONS, Junior, of Billerica in said County of Middlesex praying that he be appointed executor there of without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lowell before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twentieth day of March 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of February 1970

John V. Harvey,
Register.

M5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT

(Seal) Case No. 58627 Misc.

To all whom it may concern, and to MARGARET SEELEY, now or formerly of Somerville in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth and Mr. Seeley, if any, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by GAETANO BELLONE of Melrose, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth to establish his title under a low value deed, under the provisions of G L (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 60, Section 80-B, running to John D Cooke, by instrument dated November 26, 1937, and recorded in the Midd. No. Dist., Registry of Deeds, in Book 908, Page 438; that the petitioner now holds his title under deed from Joseph O Mahoney and Vera I Mahoney, dated August 27, 1968, and duly recorded with said Registry of Deeds, in Book 1856, Page 33, and to require you to show cause why you should not bring action to try any claim or claims which you may have adverse to the petitioner's title arising out of the tax proceedings under which the petitioner's title is based:

Said petition covers a parcel of land in said Town of Wilmington, bounded and described as follows: Silver Lake Gardens Plan, Lots 864 to 867 inclusive, 873, 874 in deed dated September 30, 1935 recorded Book 873, Page 333 on September 30, 1935.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston, (at the Court House) or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell on or before the sixth day of April next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or from having or enforcing any claim or claims adverse to the petitioner, his heirs or assigns, in the above described land.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citiation be published forthwith once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Town Crier, a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

Witness ELWOOD H. HETTRICK Esquire, Judge of said Court this third day of March, 1970.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

MARGARET M. DALY
Recorder

M12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of RAPHAEL CINCOTTA also known as RAPHAELA CINCOTTA late of North Reading in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by ANDREW B. GRECCO of Everett in the County of Middlesex praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of March 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of February 1970.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

F26,M4,11

LOST BANK BOOK

The following bank book is lost and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Section 20, Chapter 16 General Laws. Payment has been stopped. Bankbook No. 8104, Commercial Bank & Trust M5,12,19.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the POWER OF SALE contained in a certain mortgage given by S. MCFARLAND and SONS, INC., a corporation duly organized under the laws of Massachusetts and having its usual place of business in Billerica, Middlesex County, Massachusetts to NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK, dated August 9, 1967, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 1808, Page 91, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, and for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the premises in said mortgage described on Tuesday, April 14, 1970, at 10:00 A.M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in WILMINGTON, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lots numbered 25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-51-74-75-76-77 and 78 on a plan entitled 'Plan of Alderwood Estates, Wilmington, Mass., Owner: Edsel Tocci,' dated June 26, 1961, made by K. J. Miller Co., Civil Engineers, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds in Plan Book 96, Plan 11. Reference is hereby made to said plan for a further and more particular description of said lots. Excepting therefrom Lots 38 and 39, which were partially released by instrument recorded with said Middlesex North District Deeds in Book 1861 Page 513.

Subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any there be, so far as the same are now in force and applicable.

TITLE REFERENCE: See deeds recorded with said Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 1603, Page 249 and Book 1791, Page 426.

TERMS OF SALE: FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1500.00) DOLLARS will be required to be paid in cash or certified check by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale, the balance within ten (10) days from the date of sale on the delivery of the deed. Other terms made known at the time and place of the sale.

NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee, Present Holder of the Mortgage, Robert B. Nickerson, President

John A. Cunniff, Attorney, 313 Washington Street, Newton, Massachusetts

M12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JACOB BONCZEK late of Norwich, in the State of Connecticut, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that HELEN LISKIEWICZ of Norwich in the State of Connecticut be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lowell before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-seventh day of March 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February 1970.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

M5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To ELTON WAYNE O'DELL of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex now commorant of the U.S. Army stationed at San Francisco in the State of California.

A libel has been presented to said Court by your wife GERTRUDE H. O'DELL praying that a divorce from the bond of matrimony between herself and you be decreed for the cause of cruel and abusive treatment and praying for alimony and for custody of and allowance for minor children.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge within twenty-one days from the thirteenth day of April, 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February, 1970.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

F26,M5,12

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of ELIZABETH L. SWEET late of Weston in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of certain instruments purporting to be the last will and one codicil of said deceased by OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY of Boston in the County of Suffolk praying that it be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on its bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of March 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of February 1970.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

F26,M5,12

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex ss.

To all persons interested in BONNIE JEAN RHODES and JOSEPH PAUL RHODES of Wilmington in said County, minors.

A petition as amended has been presented to said Court, praying that CLARENCE RHODES of Malden in the County of Middlesex or some other suitable person, be appointed their guardian with custody.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of April 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Joseph W. Monahan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of February, 1970.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

M12,19,26

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COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT

To RUSSELL D. DALEY and JOAN E. DALEY, both of Tewksbury in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; ROBERT P. STEVENS, Trustee, of Winchester, in said County of Middlesex; FANNIE PEVIN, of Detroit, in the State of Michigan; JACKSON BROTHERS, INC., a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in Wilmington, in said County of Middlesex; THE WOBURN CO-OPERATIVE BANK, a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by JOHN C. CLARK and FRANCES L. CLARK, both of Wilmington in said County of Middlesex, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in Wilmington, bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by Sheldon Avenue 125 feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Eastern Realty Trust 105.14 feet; Northeasterly by land now or formerly of Fannie Pevin and by land now or formerly of Jackson Bros. Inc 62.15 feet and 62.96 feet respectively; and Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Jackson Bros. Inc and by part of the end of Sheldon Avenue 100 feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell in the County of Middlesex where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the thirteenth day of April next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, ELWOOD H. HETTRICK Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of February in the year nineteen hundred and seventy.

Attest with seal of said Court.

(Seal) MARGARET M. DALY,
Recorder.

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It was quite a welcome that Al Graceffa received, last Saturday evening, in the Elks Hall, in South Tewksbury.

He had been told that the band in which he plays was to work there that evening, but that he need not show up until 8:30 pm. That's a late hour to start work, but Al obeyed orders.

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March:

12 Figure Skating Practice at Frost Arena 7 - 8 pm

12 Drug Abuse Meeting 7:30 at home of Mrs Wood, 321 Salem St

12 Minute Men Company Regular Meeting 8 pm Am Leg Hall

14 Annual Town Meeting 1:30 pm High School Auditorium

14 CYO Dance Villanova Hall at 8 pm

14 Sons of Italy Supper Dance 7 - 12 pm Am Legion Hall

15 Ecumenical Lenten Series: Sacred Music by 'Singing Ambassadors' from Asbury College at the Methodist Church 8 pm

15 Figure Skating for Girls Frost Arena 4 - 5:30 Every Sun except Easter

15 First Ecumenical Service for Campfire Girls Birthday 11 am at Methodist Church

15 Minute Men Annual Muster and Installation Legion Hall 2 pm

18 Local Program Planning League of Women Voters

18 Family Living Program 8:30 pm No Intermediate School (Note change of date) Films will be viewed by Parents with discussion following

18 Discussion on Drugs by Mr Dan Ballou at K of C Hall 7:30 sponsored by Columbian Squires. Public invited.

19 Wilmington Women's Club Guest Night 8:15 pm at Methodist Church Golden Age Club to be guests

21 K of C St Patrick Dance Maple Meadow Hall 7:30 to 12 Special drawing $2.50 per person

25 Board Meeting League of Women Voters

26 Campfire Girls and Bluebirds 'Sing-A-Long' Villanova Hall 3:30 pm

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